



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: Little, et al.

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For: **MUTATED OKT3 ANTIBODY**

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Examiner: J. Roark

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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION**RECEIVED**

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Sir:

This is a Response to the Office Action dated May 7, 2001. The response is submitted prior to or including the extended due date of **October 9, 2001** (October 7, 2001 is a Sunday and October 8, 2001 is a Federal holiday). A petition for a two (2) month extension of time and the requisite fee are enclosed herewith. The Examiner is respectfully requested to enter the amendments and reconsider the application.

THE AMENDMENT**In the Specification**

On page 1, after "Mutated OKT3 Antibody", insert:

--CROSS-REFERENCE TO RELATED APPLICATIONS

The present application is a National Stage of International Application No. PCT/DE98/01409, filed May 22, 1998, which claims priority to German Patent Application No. 197 21 700.1, filed May 23, 1997.--

On page 1, lines 14-15, delete "12301 Parklawn Drive, Rockville, MD 20852" and insert --10801 University Boulevard, Manassas, VA 20110-2209--.